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REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the "Date of Completion of All 35 U.S.C. 371 Requirements" set forth in the attached Notice of Acceptance be corrected to read "07/18/2006," as indicated in the marked-up copy of the Notice of Acceptance.

The Notice of Acceptance currently indicates November 30, 2006 as the date of completion of all 35 U.S.C. 371 requirements. This is presumably due to the fact that the date that is 30 months from the priority application filing date falls on November 30, 2006. However, since the transmittal letter filed July 18, 2006 included an express request to begin national examination procedures (see item 3), it is submitted that the correct date of completion is July 18, 2006.

Thus, a corrected Notice of Acceptance is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C 371 AND 37 CFR 1.495

The applicant is hereby advised that the United States Patent and Trademark Office in its capacity as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495), has determined that the above identified international application has met the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371, and is ACCEPTED for national patentability examination in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

The United States Application Number assigned to the application is shown above and the relevant dates are:

07/18/2006

DATE OF RECEIPT OF 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) REQUIREMENTS

DATE OF COMPLETION OF ALL 35 U.S.C. 371 REQUIREMENTS

07/18/2006

A Filing Receipt (PTO-103X) will be issued for the present application in due course. THE DATE APPEARING ON THE FILING RECEIPT AS THE "FILING DATE" IS THE DATE ON WHICH THE LAST OF THE 35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) REQUIREMENTS HAS BEEN RECEIVED IN THE OFFICE. THIS DATE IS SHOWN ABOVE. The filing date of the above identified application is the international filing date of the international application (Article 11(3) and 35 U.S.C. 363). Once the Filing Receipt has been received, send all correspondence to the Group Art Unit designated thereon.

The following items have been received:

- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/18/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/18/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 07/18/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/18/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 07/18/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/18/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 07/18/2006
- Power of Attorney filed on 07/18/2006
- Specification filed on 07/18/2006
- Claims filed on 07/18/2006
- Abstracts filed on 07/18/2006
- Drawings filed on 07/18/2006

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Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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